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Classroom Activities

Foundation version

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USA cancels European missile shield plans (Page 1)

Instructions: Read the article 'USA cancels European missile shield plans'.
Fill in the boxes with the correct answers to find the mystery place.

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10.											
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Clues

1. Missiles or long range _____
2. North Atlantic Treaty Organization
3. The interceptor missiles were to be in _____
4. The Soviet _____ was led by Russia
5. Country that others suspect is developing nuclear weapons
6. Czech _____
7. _____ York City
8. _____ W Bush is a former president of the USA
9. Many Eastern _____ countries were formerly part of the Soviet Union
10. Barack _____ is the president of the USA
11. Dmitry _____ is the president of Russia

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New metro opens in Dubai (Page 14)

Instructions: Read the article 'New metro opens in Dubai'.
Tick either true or false for the following statements.

	TRUE	FALSE
1. Dubai is part of the United Arab Emirates.		
2. There are no human drivers on the Dubai Metro.		
3. German and UK companies are building the Dubai Metro.		
4. The Dubai Metro trains and stations are all air conditioned.		
5. All of the Dubai Metro is being built underground.		
6. Sheikh Mohammed bin Rashid al-Maktoum is the ruler of Dubai.		
7. The Dubai Metro lines are named after letters of the alphabet.		
8. When the Dubai Metro is finished there will be four different lines.		

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Election in Norway (Page 11)**Instructions:** Read the article 'Election in Norway'.

Draw a line to connect the correct links. The first is done for you.

European Union

The Storting

Prime Minister of Norway

EU

Capital of Norway

Coalition

Norwegian parliament

USA

Name for political parties working together

NATO

North Atlantic Treaty Organization

Jens Stoltenberg

Country with most troops in Afghanistan

Unemployment

Only 3% in Norway

Oslo

Date: _____

Instructions: Read the article 'Peace Day'.

- 1.** Find the key words in the wordsearch below. Words can go in any direction. **2.** Take the first 33 unused letters, starting at the top left-hand corner of the box. **3.** Put these letters into the squares at the bottom of the page to discover the mystery phrase.



Key words

PEACE	PUMA
DISARMAMENT	HERZOGENAURACH
NUCLEAR	FEUD
CIVILIANS	HEADQUARTERS
ADIDAS	WEAPONS

Mystery phrase

[illegible]

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New plan for Uluru (Page 13)

Instructions: Read the article 'New plan for Uluru'.
Answer questions 1-8. The first is done for you.

1. I am another name for Uluru.

A	Y	E	R	S	R	O	C	K
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2. I am the area of Australia where Uluru can be seen.

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3. I am a place that the UN says must be protected and preserved.

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4. I am the word used to describe indigenous people of Australia.

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5. We are the type of people who visit Uluru.

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6. We help to manage the Uluru site.

7. I am an expert on rocks.

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8. I am the type of rock of which Uluru is made.

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Mini T-Rex (Page 13)**Instructions:** Read the article 'Mini T-Rex'.

Fill in the boxes with the correct answers to find the mystery word.

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Clues

1. The mini T-Rex had _____ back legs
2. The dinosaur weighed about 65 _____
3. The fossil will be put in a _____ in China
4. The _____ fossil was bought by a collector
5. County where the fossil was studied
6. A scientist who studies fossils
7. Inner _____
8. The dinosaur was around six _____ old